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| Application Number   | 09/723,793  |
| Filing Date          | 11/28/2000  |
| First Named Inventor | Horton      |
| Examiner Name        | K. Thornton |
| Group Art Unit       | 1744        |
| Attorney Docket No.  | 1300-009    |

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| TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT | (\$) | 510 |
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**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

1. ☐ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

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☐ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2. ☒ Payment Enclosed:

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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Large Entity Small Entity

| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|------------------------|----------|
| 101      | 710      | 201      | 355      | Utility filing fee     |          |
| 106      | 320      | 206      | 160      | Design filing fee      |          |
| 107      | 480      | 207      | 245      | Plant filing fee       |          |
| 108      | 710      | 208      | 355      | Reissue filing fee     |          |
| 114      | 160      | 214      | 76       | Provisional filing fee |          |

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)

**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

| Total Claims       | Extra Claims                 | Fee from below         | Fee Paid               |
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|----------|----------|----------|----------|--|----------|
| 103      | 18       | 203      | 9        | Claims in excess of 20                                     |          |
| 102      | 80       | 202      | 40       | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |          |
| 104      | 270      | 204      | 135      | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |          |
| 109      | 80       | 209      | 40       | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |          |
| 110      | 18       | 210      | 9        | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |          |

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| Large Entity Fee Code   | Large Entity Fee (\$) | Small Entity Fee Code | Small Entity Fee (\$) | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--|----------|
| 106   | 130                   | 206                   | 65                    | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 127   | 60                    | 227                   | 26                    | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 139   | 130                   | 139                   | 130                   | Non-English specification  |          |
| 147   | 2,620                 | 147                   | 2,620                 | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination                            |          |
| 112   | 920*                  | 112                   | 920*                  | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 113   | 1,840*                | 113                   | 1,840*                | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 115   | 110                   | 215                   | 55                    | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 116   | 360                   | 216                   | 180                   | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 117   | 660                   | 217                   | 330                   | Extension for reply within third month                                     | 455      |
| 118   | 1,360                 | 218                   | 680                   | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 128   | 1,890                 | 228                   | 945                   | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 119   | 310                   | 219                   | 155                   | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 120   | 310                   | 220                   | 155                   | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 121   | 270                   | 221                   | 135                   | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 138   | 1,510                 | 138                   | 1,510                 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 140   | 110                   | 240                   | 55                    | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 141   | 1,240                 | 241                   | 620                   | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 142   | 1,240                 | 242                   | 620                   | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 143   | 440                   | 243                   | 220                   | Design issue fee   |          |
| 144   | 600                   | 244                   | 300                   | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 122   | 130                   | 122                   | 130                   | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 123   | 50                    | 123                   | 50                    | Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)  |          |
| 126   | 160                   | 126                   | 160                   | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 681   | 40                    | 681                   | 40                    | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 146   | 710                   | 246                   | 355                   | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.128(a))              |          |
| 149   | 710                   | 249                   | 355                   | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 179   | 710                   | 279                   | 355                   | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 168   | 800                   | 168                   | 800                   | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |
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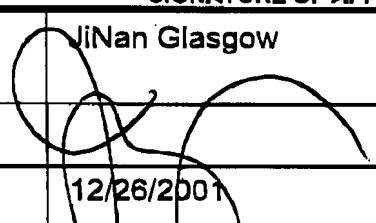
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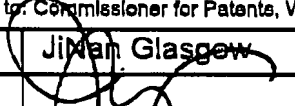
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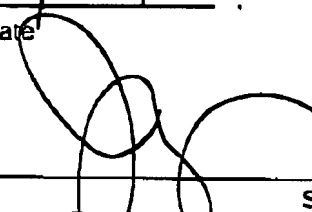
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